

Applicant(s): Douglas LeCrone  
Serial No.: 09/966,639  
Filed: September 28, 2001

00-198

REMARKS

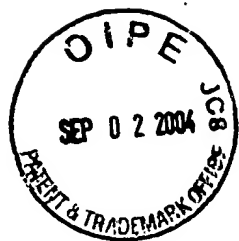
Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter this Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.312 because it merely seeks to correct formal matters in the specification. This amendment should not require any additional search and no claims are amended.

If there are any questions, we urge the Examiner to call us collect. Please charge any costs in connection with this document to our Deposit Account No. 05-0889.

Respectfully Submitted,



GEORGE A. HERBSTER,  
Attorney, Reg. No. 24,002  
40 Beach Street  
Manchester, MA 01944  
(978) 526-8111



00-198

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re : Douglas LeCrone  
Serial No. : 09/966,639  
Filed : September 28, 2001  
FOR : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENHANCING ACCESS TO  
REDUNDANT DATA STORAGE FACILITIES  
EXAMINER : Kim Ngoc Huynh  
ART UNIT : 2182

August 31, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT TO THE DRAWINGS

Please amend FIG. 9 in the above-identified patent application as follows:

In Block 323 delete "DAVICE" and insert -- DEVICE --

REMARKS

A copy of the amended drawing is attached. The requested change is annotated thereon in red ink. Applicant is also submitting a new formal drawing for previously amended FIG. 4 and currently amended FIG. 9.

If there are any questions, we urge the Examiner to call us collect. Please charge any costs in connection with this document to our Deposit Account No. 05-0889.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "George A. Herbster", written in a cursive style.

GEORGE A. HERBSTER,  
Attorney, Reg. No. 24,002  
40 Beach Street  
Manchester, MA 01944  
(978) 526-8111

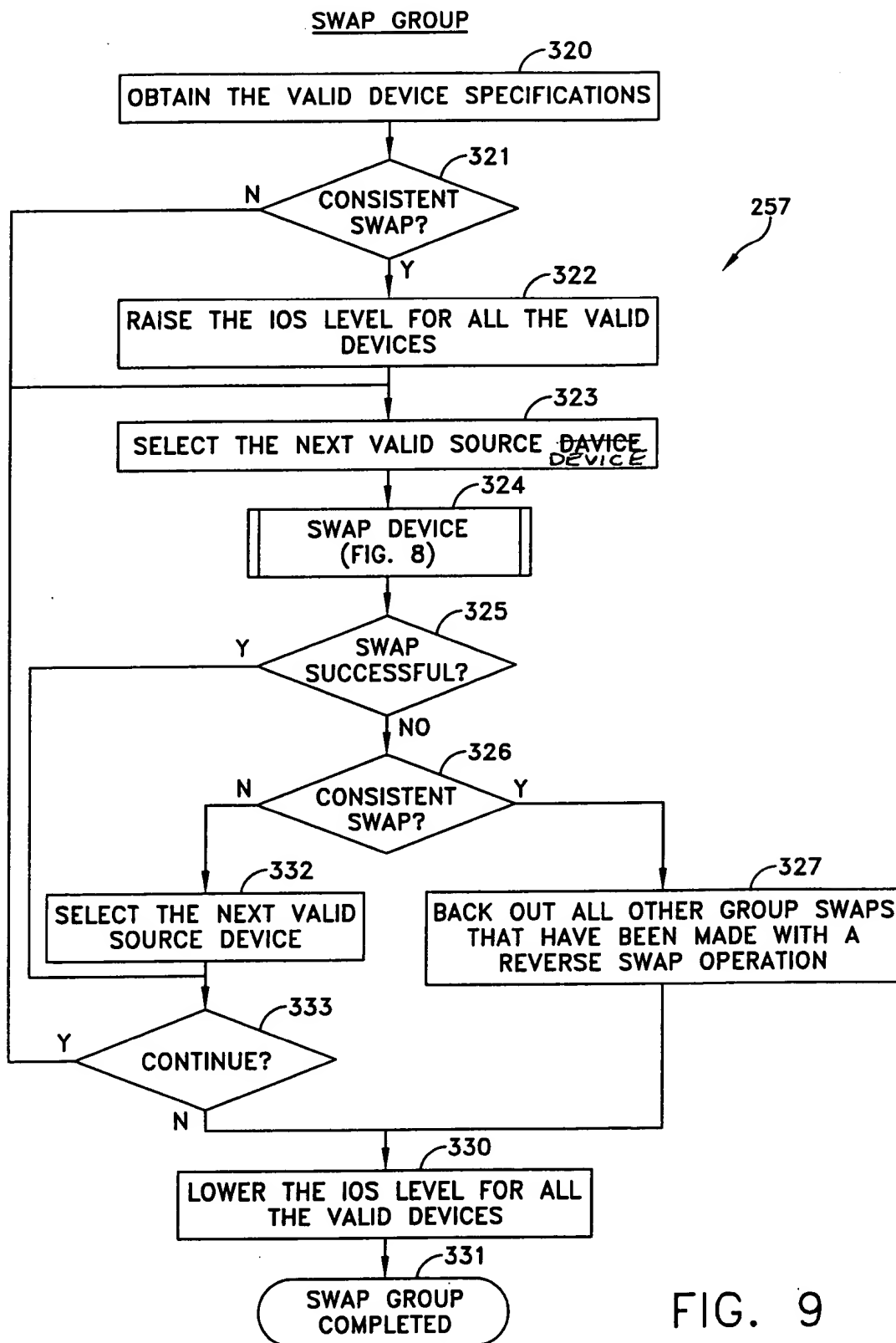


FIG. 9